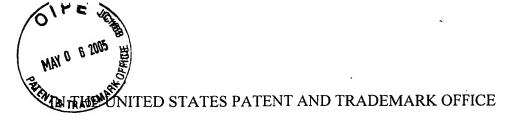
PTO/SB/21 (09-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE r Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. W& TRADE **Application Number** 10/629,303 TRANSMITTAL Filing Date Jul 29, 2003 **FORM** First Named Inventor Tran, Trac D. Art Unit 2621 (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) **Examiner Name** Jose L. Couso Total Number of Pages in This Submission Attorney Docket Number 90015.0.1-REISSUE **ENCLOSURES** (Check all that apply) After Allowance communication to (TC) Fee Transmittal Form Drawing(s) Appeal Communication to Board of Fee Attached Licensing-related Papers Appeals and Interferences Appeal Communication to TC Petition Amendment / Reply (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Petition to Convert to a Proprietary Information After Final Provisional Application Power of Attorney, Revocation Status Letter Affidavits/declaration(s) Change of Correspondence Address Other Enclosure(s) (please identify Terminal Disclaimer Extension of Time Request below): Request for Refund **Express Abandonment Request** CD, Number of CD(s)_ Information Disclosure Statement Landscape Table on CD Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) Remarks Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53 SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT Firm Name Customer No. 40320 Burns & Levinson LLP Signature Kimberly B. Whitehead Printed name Reg. No. 55,330 Date May 4, 2005

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING			
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.			
Signature			
Typed or printed name	Lori L. Stewart	Date	May 4, 2005

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



In re the application of:

Group Art Unit: 2621

Tran, Trac D. et al.

Examiner: Jose L. Couso

Serial Number: 10/629,303

Atty. Docket No.: 90015.0.1-

REISSUE

Filed: Jul 29, 2003

REQUEST FOR STATUS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The undersigned attorney requests the status of the above-identified application.

An Office communication was mailed by the examiner on August 16, 2004 requesting the applicants to address formality requirements with regard to the previously filed preliminary amendment. A response to the communication was filed on September 8, 2004 in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and to date no further communication has been received.

Kindly inform applicant of the current status of the pending application.

Respectfully submitted,

Reg. No. 55,330

Customer Number 40320

Burns & Levinson LLP 1030 Fifteenth Street, N.W Suite 300 Washington, D.C. 20005

Tel: (202) 842-0431 Fax: (202) 467-4045